

RESOLUTION NO. RS2018-1239 (BEDNE & ELROD) – This resolution would approve and authorize the execution and acceptance of an easement agreement with the State of Tennessee conveying easements for sidewalks, bus stops, traffic signalization, and drainage to the Metropolitan Government and the Metropolitan Transit Authority (MTA) for use in the Transit Signal Priority System Project along Murfreesboro Pike.

The State of Tennessee owns property along the Murfreesboro Pike corridor and easements are needed along this property for use in the Transit Signal Priority System Project. Pursuant to the easement agreement, the State would grant to Metro sidewalk, bus stop, and drainage easements. The State would also grant Metro a temporary construction easement for a period of three (3) years. MTA would be responsible for the maintenance of the bus stop and any improvements related to the bus stop located in the easement area. Metro would be responsible for the maintenance of the sidewalk.

Interlocal agreements with other governmental entities can be approved by resolution pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 12-9-104.

Fiscal Note: Metro would pay a nominal amount of \$10 to the state for these easements.